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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

BOBBY RAY ZAPIEN,

No. 1:15-CV-3159-SMJ

Petitioner,

v.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

MICHAEL OBENLAND,

Respondent.

Before the Court is Magistrate Judge Rodgers' March 24, 2016 Report and Recommendation, **ECF No. 18,** recommending that the Court deny Petitioner Bobby Ray Zapien's Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus. Petitioner did not file objections within 14 days as required. Fed. R. Civ. P. 72.

After reviewing the Report and Recommendation and the relevant authorities, the Court finds the Magistrate Judge's findings are correct. Therefore, the Court adopts the Report and Recommendation in its entirety.

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Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. The Report and Recommendation, **ECF No. 18**, is **ADOPTED** in its entirety.

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2. The Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus, **ECF No. 1**, is **DENIED** as to Petitioner's 2010 Yakima County conviction for first-degree murder.

3. The Respondent's Motion to Dismiss, ECF No. 15, is GRANTED.

IT IS SO ORDERED. The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this Order and provide copies to all counsel, the Petitioner, and Magistrate Judge Rodgers.

DATED this 18th day of April 2016.

SALVADOR MENDOZA IR
United States District Judge